

**Tennessee Council of Juvenile and Family Court Judges
Fourth Quarter Summary Report
Based On Number of Reported Cases
October - December 2002**

Juvenile Court **Sumner**
Court Number **83**

Mid-Cumberland Region

October - December 2002 **845 Cases** Were Disposed Of Or Adjusted
Affecting **640 Children**

General Characteristics Of These Cases Follow:

Referral Reasons Before Amended Charges *Each Case May Include Up To 5 Referral Reasons
Therefore The Number Of Total Referral Reasons, Referral Sources, Intake Actions, Formal/Informal Actions,
And Person Executing The Action May Be Greater Than The Total Number of Cases*

0	OR	0.00% Criminal Homicide
1	OR	0.10% 1st Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% 2nd Degree Murder
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Rape
0	OR	0.00% Rape of a Child
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Vehicular Homicide
2	OR	0.21% Esp. Aggravated Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Esp. Aggravated Kidnapping
3	OR	0.31% Aggravated Robbery
1	OR	0.10% Aggravated Kidnapping
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Child Abuse/Neglect
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Sexual Battery
0	OR	0.00% Rape
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Manslaughter
0	OR	0.00% Vehicular Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Sexual Abuse of a Child
1	OR	0.10% Other Sexual Offenses
5	OR	0.52% Aggravated Assault
1	OR	0.10% Robbery
0	OR	0.00% Criminally Negligent Homicide
0	OR	0.00% Attempt to Commit a Crime Against Person
25	OR	2.59% Assault
6	OR	0.62% Reckless Endangerment
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Arson
0	OR	0.00% Arson
7	OR	0.73% Aggravated Burglary
26	OR	2.69% Theft of Property
16	OR	1.66% Vandalism
0	OR	0.00% Forgery
0	OR	0.00% Worthless Checks
0	OR	0.00% Illegal Possession/Fraudulent Use of Credit/Debit Cards
6	OR	0.62% Burglary
2	OR	0.21% Unauthorized use of a Vehicle
0	OR	0.00% Cruelty to Animals

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1	OR	0.10% Sale of Controlled Substances
9	OR	0.93% Other Drug Offenses
14	OR	1.45% Possession of Controlled Substances
0	OR	0.00% Criminal Attempt
0	OR	0.00% Carrying Weapons on School Property
5	OR	0.52% Unlawful Carrying/Possession of a Weapon
3	OR	0.31% Evading Arrest
1	OR	0.10% Escape
3	OR	0.31% Driving Under Influence (DUI)
29	OR	3.01% Possession/Consumption of Alcohol
3	OR	0.31% Resisting Stop, Frisk, Halt, Arrest or Search
0	OR	0.00% Aggravated Criminal Trespass
5	OR	0.52% Harassment
5	OR	0.52% Failure to Appear
1	OR	0.10% Filing a False Police Report
1	OR	0.10% Criminal Impersonation
3	OR	0.31% Disorderly Conduct
4	OR	0.41% Criminal Trespass
3	OR	0.31% Public Intoxication
0	OR	0.00% Gambling
10	OR	1.04% Traffic
0	OR	0.00% Local Ordinances
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Wildlife Regulations
0	OR	0.00% Contempt of Court
31	OR	3.21% Violation of Probation
2	OR	0.21% Violation of Aftercare
52	OR	5.39% Unruly Behavior
62	OR	6.42% Truancy
26	OR	2.69% In-State Runaway
0	OR	0.00% Out-of-State Runaway
19	OR	1.97% Possession of Tobacco Products
40	OR	4.15% Violation of a Valid Court Order
24	OR	2.49% Violation of Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Sexually Abused Child
0	OR	0.00% Physically Abused Child
19	OR	1.97% Dependency/Neglect
1	OR	0.10% Termination of Parental Rights
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Pretrial Diversion
0	OR	0.00% Violation of Informal Adjustment
196	OR	20.31% Judicial Review
0	OR	0.00% Administrative Review
81	OR	8.39% Foster Care Review
48	OR	4.97% Custody
9	OR	0.93% Visitation
0	OR	0.00% Paternity/Legitimation
0	OR	0.00% Child Support
0	OR	0.00% Request for Medical Treatment
0	OR	0.00% Consent to Marry
153	OR	15.85% Other
965	OR	100.00% Total

Of the 845 Cases, There Were
Referral Source

965 Referral Sources

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254	OR	26.3% Were Referred By Law Enforcement
86	OR	8.9% Were Referred By Parents
25	OR	2.6% Were Referred By Relatives
23	OR	2.4% Were Referred By Self
64	OR	6.6% Were Referred By School
2	OR	0.2% Were Referred By CSA
200	OR	20.7% Were Referred By DCS
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Other State Departments
9	OR	0.9% Were Referred By District Attorney's Office
209	OR	21.7% Were Referred By Court Staff
37	OR	3.8% Were Referred By Social Agency
3	OR	0.3% Were Referred By Other Court
7	OR	0.7% Were Referred By Victim
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Child & Parent
0	OR	0.0% Were Referred By Hospital
0	OR	0.0% Were Unknown
46	OR	4.8% Other
965	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 845 Cases, There Were 965 Intake Actions
Intake Actions

550	OR	57.0% Petition Filed
74	OR	7.7% Motion Filed
3	OR	0.3% Citation Processed
0	OR	0.0% Notification of Acknowledgement of Paternity Processed
230	OR	23.8% Scheduling of Judicial Review
0	OR	0.0% Scheduling of Administrative Review
87	OR	9.0% Scheduling of Foster Care Review
20	OR	2.1% Other
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
1	OR	0.1% Does Not Apply
965	OR	100.0% Total

550

Of The 845 Cases:

Type Of Detention

1	OR	0.1% Non-Secure Placement
96	OR	11.4% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Complete Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - Partial Separation
0	OR	0.0% Jail - No Separation
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
12	OR	1.4% Unknown
734	OR	86.9% Does Not Apply
2	OR	0.2% Other
845	OR	100.0% Total

Placement After Secure Detention Hearing

48	OR	5.7% Returned To Prior Living Arrangement
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23	OR	2.7% Juvenile Detention Facility
0	OR	0.0% Jail
0	OR	0.0% Shelter Facility/Group Home
2	OR	0.2% Foster Family
0	OR	0.0% Psychiatric Hospital
31	OR	3.7% Unknown
739	OR	87.5% Does Not Apply
2	OR	0.2% Other
845	OR	100.0% Total

During October - December 2002 Dispositions or Adjudications Affecting

640 Children

Age of Child At Referral

133	OR	20.8% Birth Through Age 10
36	OR	5.6% Ages 11 Through 12
85	OR	13.3% Ages 13 Through 14
204	OR	31.9% Ages 15 Through 16
173	OR	27.0% Age 17 Through 18
6	OR	0.9% Age 19 And Over
3	OR	0.5% Unknown/Not Reported
640	OR	100.0% Total

Sex of Child

404	OR	63.1% Male
236	OR	36.9% Female
0	OR	0.0% Unknown
640	OR	100.0% Total

Race of Child

512	OR	80.0% White
86	OR	13.4% African American
0	OR	0.0% Native American
1	OR	0.2% Asian
4	OR	0.6% Mixed Race
37	OR	5.8% Unknown
640	OR	100.0% Total

Of the 640 Children Referred

Hispanic Origin

20	OR	3.1% Were Of Hispanic Origin
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Living Arrangement of Child At Time of Referral

78	OR	12.2% Living With Both Biological Parents
9	OR	1.4% Living With Father And Stepmother
39	OR	6.1% Living With Mother And Stepfather

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170	OR	26.6% Living With Mother
44	OR	6.9% Living With Father
53	OR	8.3% Living With Relatives
9	OR	1.4% Living With Adoptive Parents
54	OR	8.4% Living With Foster Family
7	OR	1.1% Living In A Group Home
5	OR	0.8% Living In A Residential Center
1	OR	0.2% Living In An Institution
5	OR	0.8% Living Independently
163	OR	25.5% Unknown
3	OR	0.5% Other
640	OR	100.0% Total

School Enrollment of Child

384	OR	60.0% Were Enrolled In School
72	OR	11.3% Were Not Enrolled In School
184	OR	28.8% Unknown
640	OR	100.0% Total

Last Grade Completed By Child

40	OR	6.3% Too Young For School
4	OR	0.6% Pre-School
11	OR	1.7% Finished Kindergarten
9	OR	1.4% Finished Grade 1
7	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 2
7	OR	1.1% Finished Grade 3
12	OR	1.9% Finished Grade 4
3	OR	0.5% Finished Grade 5
14	OR	2.2% Finished Grade 6
26	OR	4.1% Finished Grade 7
66	OR	10.3% Finished Grade 8
76	OR	11.9% Finished Grade 9
49	OR	7.7% Finished Grade 10
43	OR	6.7% Finished Grade 11
5	OR	0.8% Finished Grade 12
4	OR	0.6% Non-graded Special Education
7	OR	1.1% GED
4	OR	0.6% Graduated
18	OR	2.8% Never Been In School
235	OR	36.7% Unknown
640	OR	100.0% Total

Enrolled In Special Education

63	OR	9.8% Were Enrolled In Special Education
242	OR	37.8% Not Enrolled In Special Education
335	OR	52.3% Unknown
640	OR	100.0% Total

NOTE: In 2002 the Case Outcomes data was created so that each Juvenile is only counted "One time per Disposition Date with that particular Outcome". This will result in lower totals than past years (if comparing to previous Summaries and Reports), however this will reflect a more accurate number of Outcomes that were ordered per Court Hearing (Disposition Date).

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The Following Are The		1,684 Specific Case Outcomes
103	OR	6.12% Case Dismissed
35	OR	2.08% Case Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>
98	OR	5.82% Warned/Counseled
0	OR	0.00% Held Open For Review
22	OR	1.31% Supervision/Probation To Juvenile Court
0	OR	0.00% Probation To Parents
18	OR	1.07% Referral To Another Entity For Supervision/Service
7	OR	0.42% Referred For Mental Health Counseling
20	OR	1.19% Referred For Alcohol and Drug Counseling
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Alternative School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Private Child Agency
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Defensive Driving School
18	OR	1.07% Referred To Alcohol Safety School
0	OR	0.00% Referred To Juvenile Court Education-Based Program
0	OR	0.00% Driver's License Held Informally
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Placement With DMHMR
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Health Placement
0	OR	0.00% Private Mental Retardation Placement
0	OR	0.00% Placement with City/County/Agency/Facility
13	OR	0.77% Placement with Relative/Other Individual
44	OR	2.61% Fine
40	OR	2.38% Public Service
22	OR	1.31% Restitution
0	OR	0.00% Runaway Returned
57	OR	3.38% No Contact Order
22	OR	1.31% Injunction Other Than No Contact Order
2	OR	0.12% House Arrest
12	OR	0.71% Court Defined Curfew
0	OR	0.00% Dismissed From Informal Adjustment
64	OR	3.80% Dismissed From Pretrial Diversion
37	OR	2.20% Released From Probation
5	OR	0.30% Transferred To Adult Court
0	OR	0.00% DMHMR Involuntary Commitment
0	OR	0.00% DCS Commitment - Determinate
21	OR	1.25% DCS Commitment/Custody
18	OR	1.07% DCS Commitment - Suspended
0	OR	0.00% DCS Intensive Probation
11	OR	0.65% Other Intensive Probation
14	OR	0.83% DCS Probation
168	OR	9.98% Placed Under a Valid Court Order
28	OR	1.66% Supervision By DCS
0	OR	0.00% Transferred To Another Juvenile Court For Disposition
1	OR	0.06% Parental Rights Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Parental Rights Not Terminated
2	OR	0.12% Order of Reference To DCS
127	OR	7.54% Court Costs
19	OR	1.13% Foster Care Terminated
107	OR	6.35% Foster Care Continued
33	OR	1.96% Custody Changed
7	OR	0.42% Custody Unchanged

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46	OR	2.73% Visitation Changed
1	OR	0.06% Visitation Unchanged
0	OR	0.00% Voluntary Acknowledgment of Paternity
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Determined/Child Legitimated
0	OR	0.00% Paternity Not Determined/Child Not Legitimated
9	OR	0.53% Child Support Granted
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Amended
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Denied
0	OR	0.00% Child Support Terminated
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Granted
0	OR	0.00% Request For Medical Treatment Denied
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Granted
0	OR	0.00% Consent To Marry Denied
433	OR	25.71% Other
1,684	OR	100.00% Total

Disposed By

Of the	965	Referral Reasons Disposed, There Were
769	OR	79.7% Disposed By The Judge
193	OR	20.0% Disposed By The Referee
3	OR	0.3% Disposed By The YSO
0	OR	0.0% Other
965	OR	100.0% Total

Of The	845 Cases Disposed,		
The Action Used To Dispose/Adjust	Each Of The	965	Referral Reasons Was:
135	OR	14.0% Dismissed	
49	OR	5.1% Retired or <i>Nolle Prosequi</i>	
127	OR	13.2% Complaint Substantiated Delinquent	
100	OR	10.4% Complaint Substantiated Status Offender	
14	OR	1.5% Complaint Substantiated Dependent/Neglected	
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Abused	
0	OR	0.0% Complaint Substantiated Mentally Ill	
3	OR	0.3% Informal Adjustment	
85	OR	8.8% Pretrial Diversion	
7	OR	0.7% Transfer To Adult Court Hearing	
2	OR	0.2% Charges Cleared By Transfer To Adult Court	
209	OR	21.7% Special Proceeding	
209	OR	21.7% Review Concluded	
3	OR	0.3% Case Held Open	
22	OR	2.3% Other	
965	OR	100.0% Total	